

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:      Hiroya INAOKA      *Confirmation No. 7878*  
Application No. :      10/525,508  
Filed :      February 24, 2005  
For :      ENERGY RECOVERY SYSTEM  
Examiner :      Xiuyu TAI  
Group Art Unit :      1795  
Docket No. :      960/170

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO JANUARY 26, 2009 OFFICE ACTION**

SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed January 26, 2009 in the above-identified application, the Applicant respectfully submits the following response.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.